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Transmitted herewith for filing is the non-provisional utility patent application entitled:

**System and Method for Maintaining Presence and
Communicating over a Computer Network Using the HTTP Protocol**

which is an Original application.

[X] This non-provisional patent application is based on Provisional Patent Application
No. 60/165,917, filed November 17, 1999.

Enclosed are:

- [X] Specification (including Abstract) and claims: 57 pages.
- [X] Newly executed Declaration (facsimile copy).
- [X] 21 sheets of drawings (informal).
- [X] Applicants, by their undersigned attorney, claim Small Entity Status under
37 C.F.R. §1.27 as a Small Business Concern.

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